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COMPLETE CONTROL OVER THE REBELS NOW

Czar Makes Promises--The Government Has Situation Well in Hand.

REBELLION NOT CRUSHED.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 26.—Your correspondent after a thorough canvass of the situation, is forced to the conclusion that the worst is over for the present, and is convinced, however, that the rebellion here is not completely crushed. An outbreak is certain to occur in the future when suitable opportunity occurs.

KILLED FOURTEEN STRIKERS.

Moscow, Jan. 26.—In the fight yesterday evening between the strikers and soldiers, fourteen persons were killed. The strikers attempted to assemble in the Red square, and Cossacks attacked them with whips and flat swords. Some of the strikers had revolvers and began firing on the troops, who thereupon replied.

THE SITUATION CLEARING.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 26.—Governor General Trepoff and Minister of Finance Kokovseff issued a proclamation last night (Wednesday) which reveals the government's plan for breaking the strike, not only here but throughout Russia. The proclamation is conceived in a personal tone and points out that honest workmen who want to better their condition should have brought their demands to the government instead of being misled by agitators into affiliation with a movement which is not confined to economic aspirations.

It invites them to return to work, promising them in the emperor's name a revision of the general law so as to restrict the hours of labor, the institution of a plan for state insurance and otherwise to meet their demands so far as the law will permit, and guarantees them protection against interference by agitators.

This will be followed by an imperial manifesto along the same lines.

Though the strikes have been spreading to various towns, the situation is not acute anywhere. The great demonstration with the accompaniment of bloodshed anticipated at Moscow did not occur, and the strike there has not spread rapidly, only about 20,000 workmen being out, according to the latest reports.

THIRTY WOUNDED.

Helsingfors, Finland, Jan. 26.—Although the crowds on the streets were smaller last night there was severe fighting, the Cossacks and police firing revolvers. Thirty persons were wounded, of whom nine were taken to the hospital. Two youths had their scalps cut and a third was struck in the stomach with a bullet. The demonstration is slackening.

STRIKERS GETTING FUNDS.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 26.—Quiet continues in St. Petersburg. Evidence accumulates that the strikers are being supplied with money to meet their present needs. All sorts of stories are afloat as to the size and origin of the fund. Money is undeniably being supplied by the liberals. It is said they have a fund of \$2,000,000, some of which was supplied by German socialists, but there is no way of verifying the stories. It is seriously believed in some quarters that money is being furnished from Japanese-British sources to bring on a revolution or such international complications as will compel the government to make peace.

Stories of the illness of the emperor are officially denied.

POLICEMAN KILLED BY MOH.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 26.—A revolt occurred in the Ural Mountains today and rebels attacked the police killing one. The troops finally dispersed the mob.

Seven students hitherto leaders in the revolutionary movement, have been put to death by strikers. It is claimed they were suspected of treachery, but it later transpired they were innocent. It is said they were strangled in a secret subterranean meeting place.

Quelled, But Not Conquered.

Viena, Jan. 26.—A famous Russian law expert, Prof. Itenssner, a leader of the liberal movement in Russia, declares that he is convinced that armed revolt must follow, as he believes it certain that the revolutionary Socialists have accumulated weapons and bombs and that a part of the army is sure to fraternize with the population. Even the regiment of the guard are not to be depended on by the czar, he says. The professor declares that he knows of one regiment at least which will not fire upon the people under any circumstance whatever.

A revolution in the palace itself must also be apprehended.

"The czar himself," the professor adds, "yesterday overthrew the autocracy, which has perished."

Much Incendiary Literature.

Riga, Jan. 26.—The police have unearthed a quantity of revolutionary proclamations which are being distributed despite the efforts of the police to prevent such literature getting among the strikers. There are now twenty thousand men out. Troops are guarding the factories, and all are quiet.

8,000 Quit Work.

Tula, Russia, Jan. 26.—A strike has been proclaimed here and eight thousand metal workers have quit work.

A Watchful Eye.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 26.—Although quiet continues this morning General Trepoff has increased his grip on the district government. All public buildings are closed, and a watchful eye is kept on every movement of the strikers, who walked about the streets. An official bulletin says there

WORST COLD WAVE SINCE YEAR 1888

New York is Under a Foot of Snow at Present.

The Entire East Suffers From the Ice King—Much Delay to Traffic Generally.

THE BLIZZARD IS GENERAL.

New York, Jan. 26.—Not since the blizzard in 1888 by which all storms are estimated as great or small have New York been so completely snowbound as now. The city is lying under a foot of snow, that in many places has been banked by the wind to a height of several feet.

The entire coast line from Delaware Capes north has been in the grasp of the storm which, because of the heavy fall of snow, intensity of cold and force of the gale, has exceeded in severity anything experienced in years.

Island from Maine throughout New England and Middle Atlantic states reports indicate the most complete winter tie-up. Far into the west there is snow and remarkably low temperature, while the extreme south seems to have escaped.

Everywhere railroad traffic is delayed; reports of disasters to shipping are coming in, and with rapidly falling thermometer much suffering must ensue. So severe was the storm in this city that even during the day hours several persons were frozen to death or died from exhaustion.

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Practically every town in the Mississippi valley and lake regions is having weather troubles. In some places it was extremely cold, in others it was less cold but snowing heavily, and in a great many others it was both cold and snowing. Hardly a place in the middle west and northwest was comfortable during the day.

In Chicago the mercury, which was two below zero, mounted until it was twenty above. Then came snow and a gale from the north.

In Kansas and Western Missouri, the weather was the coldest recorded in the last five years.

All through the Ohio valley the weather was the coldest of the winter, ranging from eight to two below zero. In a majority of cases the cold was accompanied by a high wind and a driving snow that interfered with railroad traffic.

Reports from the south show the most severe weather of the winter is prevailing all through that section. Mobile had a temperature of 26, New Orleans, 30. At Mobile a cold northwest wind drove much water out of the slips and many ships were left aground.

The extent of the cold wave can be estimated by a statement that with the exception of Helena, Mont., and some points in Texas, there was not a city between the Rocky and Allegheny mountains last night that reported a temperature as high as freezing point.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Excitement Subsiding.

Washington, Jan. 26.—U. S. Consul General Watts, at St. Petersburg, reports to the state department as follows: "Excitement is subsiding and business is resuming."

Mutiny Among Troops.

London, Jan. 26.—The Globe asserts that a serious mutiny has occurred among the Russian troops at Mukden as a result of the privations they have had to undergo.

Tried to Burn Gas Works.

Moscow, Jan. 26.—Strikers today attempted to destroy the gas works and were in conflict with a force of Cossacks, who finally repelled them

Burlington, Ia.—The ten year old son of John Gulich went out on the ice on the river to dip a bucket of water from an air hole, when he slipped into the hole and was drowned.

Oberlin, Ill.—An unidentified man five feet nine inches in height, with a dark sandy mustache, a scar across his left hand and about 47 years old, was found dead along the public road.

LADRONES KILLED IN PITCHED BATTLE

Battle Yesterday Near Siland With Scouts.

Ten Killed and Seven Taken Prisoners by the Native Troops Yesterday.

THEY COULD NOT BE RESCUED.

Manila, Jan. 26.—In a battle this morning (Thursday) near Siland between a detachment of scouts and constabulary and 100 armed Ladrones who, under the leadership of the outlaw, Fellizaroo, attacked San Francisco De Malabon, province of Cavite, last Tuesday night, ten Ladrones were killed and seven taken prisoners. No casualties among the scouts and constabulary. Severe fighting continues.

In their attack on the town Tuesday night the Ladrones captured the wife and two children of Governor Trias.

These together, with several native women prisoners, were seen with the Ladrones this morning, but an attempt to rescue them was unsuccessful.

To Assist Constabulary.

Manila, Jan. 26.—Ten Ladrones were killed and several captured in a fight in the province of Cavite today. The opposing parties were the constabulary and the force of Ladrones, who Tuesday night attacked the town and took several prisoners, including the wife and two children of Governor Trias, who they are holding for ransom. Fierce fighting continues.

The third troop of the second cavalry will be sent to Cavite province to assist the insular forces now fighting with the three hundred Ladrones near Siland.

THREE KILLED

FATAL EXPLOSION IN WHEEL COMPANY PLANT.

Parts of Machinery Blown Three Blocks Away From the Place of Explosion.

Terre Haute, Ind., Jan. 26.—Three men were killed, one fatally injured in a boiler explosion that wrecked the engine rooms of the Stand Wheel company's plant.

The dead are Levi Whittaker, Thomas Patterson, Horace G. Colvin.

Fatally injured, George Davis.

The victims were all firemen employed in the boiler room. Parts of the machinery and building were blown three squares from the scene.

Fire broke out in the ruins but it was soon extinguished. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

NO MEDIATION.

Stories About Peace and Battle in Indian Ocean Discredited.

Paris, Jan. 26.—Foreign officers are not aware of the source of the rumor of possible mediation in the war between Russia and Japan. No information relative to mediation has been received there. Officials here consider the rumor of an encounter between the squadron commanded by Rojestvensky and a Japanese squadron to be a fabrication.

\$3,000,000 Raised for Strikers.

Essen, Prussia, Jan. 26.—Subscriptions for strikers both in and outside this district aggregate about \$3,000,000. The effect of the prohibition of local authorities at various places to carry around subscription papers has been to increase the voluntary contributions.

Lafollette Won.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 26.—Governor Robert M. Lafollette was formally elected United States senator yesterday in joint legislative session. The roll call stood: Lafollette, 101; Quarles, 2; Lueck, 13; Berger, 5. A committee was appointed to escort the governor before the joint session.

FREIGHT TRAINS COLLIDE AT WINGO

Engineer A. J. Mealka Stuck to His Post and Died.

Two Colored Brakemen Hurt and Several Cars of Merchandise in Accident.

ONE CREW FORGOT ITS ORDERS.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 26.—The startling discovery was made today that the supposed male barber in the employ of Frederick Riebel, 308 North Eutaw street, was a woman who came to this city from Johnstown, Ohio. Riebel advertised for a barber and a stranger about 22 years old, giving the name of William Leonard, was put to work.

The supposed man proved to be an able tenorist artist and Riebel's best customers were turned over to Leonard. The stranger was well built, with brown eyes and closely cut brown hair. While "his" actions at times were effeminate, "he" had a deep voice and could smoke cigarettes and drink whiskey like a veteran.

The trains were manifest freights, No. 152, first section, north bound, engine No. 576, Engleer A. J. Mealka, Fireman A. Seary and Conductor William Finch, all of Paducah, and the second section of No. 151, south bound, engine No. 674, Engleer G. E. Tapscott, Fireman A. E. Arnold and Conductor J. O. Swink, all of Paducah.

No. 151 had orders to meet the first section of No. 152 at Wingo, and Engleer Tapscott and Conductor Swink, according to officials, overlooked the orders and ran past the station, meeting the unsuspecting 151 at the rate of about 35 or 40 miles an hour. The 151 was not running so fast, because it was nearing the meeting point.

Engineer Mealka saw the impending danger and did all he could to avert the wreck remaining on his engine and meeting death at the brave man he was. He was caught in the debris and evidently died instantly. His left arm was cut off near the shoulder and both legs were badly mangled. He was taken from the debris smoky and begrimed with coal dust and dirt, hardly recognizable. The remains were brought to the city shortly before 11 o'clock and taken to the Nance & Pool undertaking shop, where they will be held to await word from relatives in Illinois.

Engineer Tapscott and his crew saw the danger in time to jump and escaped with few bruises, but Will Shelton, and Jim Strickland, colored brakemen of the city, who were on 152, did not see the danger and were caught in the wreck and injured. Shelton was cut and bruised about the body and Strickland got his back bruised and severely sprained.

Five cars of the first 152 were derailed and torn up, and four cars of the 151 badly wrecked and derailed. The trains were loaded with lumber, general merchandise, and employees, and the track was torn up for some distance.

The Fulton wrecking crew was called out to work the wreck and after many hours hard work succeeded in clearing the track about 12 o'clock at noon.

Engineer A. J. Mealka was a popular young engineer, 33 years of age, who had been running as engineman for three years. He was born in Sidney, Ill., but had been living in Paducah six years, coming to Paducah from Danville, Ill. He lived at 503 South Ninth street and his wife knew nothing of his death until this morning about daybreak when a messenger informed her of the sad affair. She bore up under it very bravely.

Mealka leaves a wife and three children here; a mother, Mrs. Louise Mealka, in Sidney, Ill., and four sisters. The remains are being held until the relatives can arrive here, and will then probably be taken to Sidney for interment.

This is the first serious accident the I. C. has had for many months, and it would have been avoided had the road between Paducah and Memphis had block signals. The Louisville and Tennessee divisions, except the Fulton district, are supplied with blocks and the company is at present preparing to put them in on the Fulton district. Had this sys-

A WOMAN BARBER POSED AS A MAN

Smoked Cigars and Drank Much Whiskey.

Said to Have Beaten Her Way Over Three Hundred Miles of the Country Safely.

LIVED IN JOHNSTOWN, OHIO.

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Leonard seemed to enjoy the company of Howard Chew, a colored bootblack employed in the barber shop, and it was due to the latter that the sex of the woman was discovered. Riebel was apprised of the fact by the colored boy, but during the night Leonard had effected an entrance to the barber shop and had removed his razors and scissors and disappeared as mysteriously as he came.

During the time Leonard was employed in the shop he was rather uncommunicative and was quite uncivil to some of the customers. "He" did tell Riebel, however, that he came from Johnstown, Ohio, had traveled over 3,000 miles during the past year by beating his way around the country on freight trains, and that he had worked as a barber in a number of places.

QUIT IN A BODY.

Spanish Cabinet Resigned This Morning.

Madrid, Jan. 26.—The Spanish cabinet, headed by Premier Ascaraga, handed in its resignation to the king today. The reason for the step is unknown.

Fire at Memphis.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 26.—The plant of the Valley Oil Mills, located at the foot of Linden street, was damaged by fire to the extent of \$150,000.

There were many reports current about the accident, some saying

A \$250 PIANO TO BE GIVEN AWAY

To the Most Popular Lady in Paducah.

Also a Hundred Dollars in Gold to the Most Popular Man in the City.

OTHER PRIZES JUST AS GOOD.

The Sun's contests are already creating the greatest amount of interest and each day adds to the number of votes being polled.

The first announcement of the votes will be made Saturday. It will be awaited with interest.

Most of The Sun's readers are familiar with these contests as The Sun has been conducting them for several years, but those who are not will do well to read the announcement on page eight of today's issue.

Remember with every advance payment on your subscription you will receive a special coupon for votes. For example: 40c pays for your subscription one month, and gives you a certificate good for 80 votes, and \$4.50, a year's subscription entitles you to 1,100 votes. These subscriptions must be paid, however, before the last of March, as after that date the same amount of money will entitle you to just half that number of votes.

As the expression of the day goes, "get busy now," and vote for your friends. It will be a pleasant thing to do to present someone with a piano, or a gold watch. You can assist to do so in these contests.

The prizes to be given away are as follows:

To the most popular ladies in Paducah:

A Piano,
A Gold Watch,
An Umbrella.

To the most popular men in Paducah:

\$100 in Gold,
A Gold Watch,
An Umbrella.

To the most popular lady residing on the rural routes in this county:

A Gold Watch.

To the most popular man residing on the rural routes in this county:

A Hungry.

The piano is "The Valley Gem," sold by W. T. Miller, and is one of the best pianos he sells. It is valued at \$250.

The watch for the first contest is on exhibition at Nagel & Meyer, for the second at J. L. Wolf's, for the third contest, at Warren & Warren's.

The buggy for the most popular man in the county, is one Powell & Rogers sell for \$65, and can be seen at their place of business.

The contest started Monday and will end March 31st. The votes will be counted for the first time and announced Saturday.

In each issue of The Sun will be found ballots for use in voting and each ballot will count as one vote in each contest.

I vote for

As the most popular lady residing on the rural routes in the county.
Not good after Jan. 30, '05.

I vote for

As the most popular man residing on the rural routes in the county.
Not good after Jan. 30, '05.

I vote for

As the most popular lady in Paducah.
Not good after Jan. 30, '05.

I vote for

As the most popular man in Paducah.
Not good after Jan. 30, '05.

It takes a swift man to pursue a successful career nowadays.

A SCHOOL LEAGUE IS IN PROSPECT

High School Boys Desire to Organize One.

Athletics Will Play an Important Part in School Life This Year It is Thought.

TRACK MEETS TO BE FEATURE.

Although it is the dead of winter interest in athletics among the pupils in the High school has revived and there is talk of organizing a regular school baseball league this summer and also a track team to compete with teams from Metropolis, Cairo, Mayfield and other nearby cities.

Prof. Sullivan, teacher of science, who has charge of the athletic department of the schools, will organize and manage the athletics this season and stated that the present intent of the pupils is to have two ball teams in the High school and also teams in the lower grades and form a city school league.

The best players will be picked from the schools at large when teams from other cities are played.

In regard to the track team Prof. Sullivan stated: "We are talking of organizing a track team and will arrange a track meet about May 1st, with Metropolis first, if possible. We will have all classes of sports usually seen in track meets and will begin corresponding with the Illinois school authorities at once relative to the matter. The boys here are taking an interest in the law of sport and are more than eager to get into it."

WELL KNOWN

Methodist Preacher Dies From Injuries Received in Tennessee.

The many friends of Rev. Mont Evans will be grieved to learn of his sudden and unexpected death which took place near his home at Somerville, Tenn., on Friday, Jan. 20, says the Mayfield Messenger. The report is that he left home on Tuesday morning to go to one of his appointments when his horse fell down and so crippled Mr. Evans that he only lived a day or so afterwards. He was found about an hour after his horse fell, it is supposed, by two negroes who assisted in getting him to the home of his physician, where he died. The Rev. Evans was well known in Marshall, Graves and other western counties of the state. He was married about 25 years ago to Miss Tennessee Fly, daughter of J. V. Fly who survives him with eight children. He owned a house and lot in Clinton and his son was engaged in the mercantile business at Priorsburg. The deceased had insurance to the amount of \$2,500 which will leave his family in good condition. It is supposed they will move to Clinton to make their home. We have known Rev. D. M. Evans for 25 years and have always found him to be a well known and devout Christian.

The Rev. D. M. Evans was at one time pastor of the Third Street Methodist church of this city and was very much liked here. His wife, also, lived here before her marriage, her father, the Rev. J. V. Fly, being a local Methodist minister, and lived at Jackson and Eighth streets. Many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Evans will regret the above sad news.

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KILLED EAGLE

The First to be Bagged in This Section for Sometime.

Mr. William Heron, who lives at the mouth of Clark's river, killed a bald eagle near his home yesterday afternoon.

The eagle measured from tip to tip six feet and six inches, and is one of the largest birds killed in this section in sometime. The eagle had been in that section for sometime, and several farmers were after him.

HUNTERS AFTER DUCKS AND GEESE.

Ducks are plentiful in Tennessee and Ohio river and sportsmen are out every day hunting them. The geese in the Ohio are hard to get because when killed the ice is so thick that it is impossible to get a boat to secure the game.

Norfolk, Va.—Mary Elwart and Mary Parsons, two colored women, were burned to death in a fire that was started in their room by an overturned stove.

JANES REAL ESTATE MORTGAGES & LOANS

ANOTHER THEORY IS NOW ADVANCED

Man Found Dead Near Mayfield, of Evansville.

This is the latest Report—May He John Adams, an Insurance Man.

AUTHORITIES STILL WORKING.

There is now a new theory as to the identity of the stranger found with his throat cut in a straw stack near Mayfield several weeks ago.

An Evansville dispatch says:

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 26.—(Special)—The body of a man supposed to be John Adams, of this city, was found with his throat cut a few weeks ago near Mayfield, Ky. The deepest mystery surrounds the murderer and the Kentucky officials have been unable to apprehend the murderer. Coroner D. A. Safford, of Mayfield, has just written the local officials, stating he believes the victim was John Adams, an insurance man who disappeared from Evansville a few days before Christmas. He describes him as being five feet, seven inches high, and weighing 129 pounds. He says he had a red mustache and a gold tooth in the lower jaw on the left side, and says he feels reasonably certain that the murdered man resided in Evansville. A man by the name of John Adams was arrested here shortly before the holidays for forging an order on a merchant. He was not prosecuted but was given several hours to get out of town. Before leaving he told a crowd in a Water street saloon that was going to Mayfield, Ky.

528 N. Eighth St., 5-room house in best residence part of city. Price \$2,250.

527 N. Fifth St., 5-room house, good one, on lot 57 ft., 9 inches, by 165 to alley. Desirable home. Price \$2,250.

Notice removal of my office to Room 6, Trueheart building and come there for bargains in real estate or farm mortgage loans on 10 years' time at 6 per cent interest.

One Madison St., Fountain Park, 50 foot lot for \$350 cash. Most desirable suburban lot I know of at the price.

Bargain to home builders in 25 lots near I. C. passenger depot at \$100 each, on small cash payment and balance \$5 per month. These are best lots to be gotten near depot and if want cheap homes there come and get first choice.

235 South Sixth St. very desirable 10 room house on corner lot fronting Yeiser park. Excellent residence, or well suited for first class boarding house. See me for price and terms as am anxious to sell.

1000 Jefferson St. number one 10 room house, on corner lot, in excellent condition, good stable. First class residence, or well located and roomy enough for boarding house. Price \$5,000 on reasonable payments.

Seven-room, two-story residence, with sewerage, bath, 52-foot corner lot at southeast corner Ninth and Adams streets, excellent location. Price \$2,400.

Just back of last named corner house fronting on Adams street, a 3-room house in good condition, and at price, \$600, a fine investment for the rent or a home.

The former Grace home place on North Fifth St., east side, between Madison and Harrison, lot 57 ft., 9 inches, with two nice cottages on it which rent for \$27.50 a month. Price \$3,000 on reasonable terms to suit buyer.

Don't forget that I have at all times plenty money to loan on farm mortgages at 6 per cent interest, ten years' time.

New plat of Madison St. lots just west of and adjoining Fountain park, all level and high, and street graded and gravelled. Survey just made and plot turned over to me. Come while you can get first choice. Prices \$250 of which \$25 cash and balance on \$5 monthly payments. Location, price and terms considered, these are most desirable lots in Paducah.

First class business property on both Second and Third streets near Broadway. Best chance to be had in this line of investment. Ask for details.

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Four excellent houses on Tennessee street between 11th and 12th streets, no better of size and class in city. Corner one at \$2600 and three inside ones at \$1600 each.

No. 620 North Sixth street, rented by year to prompt paying tenant at \$35 per month. Price \$4,000.

1317 Jefferson street, good 4 room cottage, on lot worth \$1000, at \$1,700.

Rowlandtown house and lot on gravelled street at \$500 on small monthly payments.

No. 226 Kentucky avenue, good business property. Rents at \$35 per month, price on easy payments, \$3,100.

New house, 4 rooms, hall, bath. No. 1 residence; 50 ft. lot, on Monroe street, between 12th and 13th, at \$1500.

No. 305 North Seventh street, lot 115 by 165 ft. to alley, 12 room house, very choicest property in city. At price to make smile. See me if you want best thing to be had.

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O LEGAL LIFE OF
O A RAILROAD TICKET. O
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A decision as to the life of a railroad ticket which is attracting considerable attention has been rendered in favor of the Southern Pacific company by the civil court of appeals at San Antonio, Tex. The court has decided that a railroad ticket which is not used within a reasonable time after issuance is barred by the statute of limitation. The case arose out of the sale of a ticket by the Southern Pacific on April 29, 1885. The ticket was for a trip from Houston to San Antonio. The man who bought it died without using it. Fifteen years later it was sold. Late in 1899 it was offered to a Southern Pacific conductor. The latter refused to accept it and the man refusing to pay was ejected. There was nothing irregular in the ticket or in its purpose and transfer. In deciding against the man in his damage suit for ejectment the court holds that "it was never contemplated that the ticket should be held for nearly half an average life time before it was presented for the purpose for which it was purchased. The ticket held by the appellant could not occupy any other position as to the statute of limitation than a promissory note payable on demand."—The Railway and Engineering Review.

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T. J. Chambers, Ed. Vladimitor, Liberty, Texas, writes Dec. 26, 1902: "With pleasure and solicited by you, I bear testimony to the curative power of Hallard's Horehound Syrup. I have used it in my family and can cheerfully affirm it is the most effective and pleasant remedy for coughs and colds I have ever used." 25c. 50c and \$1.00. Sold by DuBois, Kobl & Co.

Seeds That Will Grow.
New crop of flower and vegetable seeds for 1905, now on sale.
C. L. BRUNSON,
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—Mechanist Pat Donovan, of the Illinois Central at Memphis, formerly of Paducah, has resigned to accept a position at Paris, Tenn.

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That is sold in many stores
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McPherson's
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**PRINCETON FANS
WANT TO GET IN**

Hoosier Town is Much in Earnest, It Seems.

**Will Have Representatives Here
With Guarantee and Seek Ad-
mission to the K. I. T.**

STOCK IS NEARLY ALL TAKEN.

Princeton, Ind., is determined to get into the K. I. T. league if possible. The fans there are in earnest, as shown by the following from the Princeton Tribune:

At noon today the soliciting committee for the Princeton Athletic association had received subscriptions to the amount of \$600 on the \$1,000 worth of stock to be sold. It is probable the remaining \$400 may be raised this afternoon.

The Princeton Athletic association is launched, and it will not be Princeton's fault if she is not this season a member of the Kentucky-Indiana-Illinois-Tennessee baseball league, commonly known as the "Kitty," or it may be only a Kentucky-Illinois-Indiana circuit, the "Ky.-I.-I.," President Biggs, of the Princeton association, and Manager Ray will be in Paducah, Ky., next Sunday with \$230 to post as a guarantee that Princeton will stay with the league till the end of the season, if admitted.

In all probability the league will be composed of Vincennes and Princeton, in Indiana; Owensboro, Henderson and Paducah, in Kentucky, and Cairo in Illinois, with the possible addition of Clarksville, Tenn., and Hopkinsville, Ky.

The officers elected for the Princeton association are:

President—Floyd J. Biggs.
Vice President—Louis Rothschild.
Secretary—M. Schwarz.
Treasurer—Alva Levi.

TAKEN HOME.

**One of the Runaway Boys Left the
City This Morning.**

Jesse Johnson, one of the runaway boys found "roughing it" in front of a fire in the woods by J. C. Watchman Jim Flournoy, was taken home this morning at 1:45 o'clock by Probate Judge Armstrong, of Celina, Ohio. The boy's father, Senator Johnson, could not come. Judge Armstrong's boy ran away with young Johnson from the Culver, Ind., military academy, but became ill at Erlanger, O., and is now back at school. Both of the boys caught here Johnson and Ward Waters were willing to return home.

The boy received sad news when Judge Armstrong arrived. His uncle, County Clerk L. Johnson, died since he left school. The boy agreed to return to the military academy and said he was sorry he caused his father so much worry. Judge Armstrong is a prominent man in Celina, and a partner of Attorney J. K. Johnson, the boy's father.

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GOES TO BIRMINGHAM.

**Bitulithic Contractor Will Return in
the Spring.**

Mr. R. Bailey, foreman of the Warren Bitulithic Street Paving Co., who had charge of street work here left this morning over the N. C. and St. L. road for Birmingham, Ala., where he will act as foreman on street work.

The Warren company has several big contracts in Birmingham and is pushing the work. Better weather prevails in that section of the country than here and little delay is occasioned.

Foreman Bailey stated that he would return in the spring when the company would repair that portion of the Broadway contract between Fifth and Sixth streets, where the curbing gave way. The company will also bid on the new street jobs here this summer.

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Fresh Horseshoe Drops
—AT—
Sleeth's Drug Store
Ninth and D'Way. Phone 202

NEW PUPILS

**ARE EXPECTED TO START IN THE
PUBLIC SCHOOLS.**

**Board of Education Has Made No
Provision For Them
Thus Far.**

The public school teachers are busy today grading examination papers and winding up the business of the first term preparatory to starting the new term, which begins Monday.

When the schools open Monday there will be something like an increase of 45 in the High school and the board has yet made no provision for a teacher. President H. F. Williamson, of the board, stated this morning that the committee had this matter in charge and the board could do nothing until it reported. The next regular board meeting will be held the 7th of February, and not until then can anything be done. Meanwhile the schools will have to do the best possible under the circumstances.

**NEWS OF
THE RIVERS.**

The gauge today is 11.5, a fall of 1.6 since yesterday. The weather is still cold, with heavy ice coming out in great floes. The Ohio river is now closed from one end to the other, and will likely remain so for several days, if not longer.

The Dick Fowler is still laid up here, unable to get to Cairo on account of the ice.

The Cowling, which is able to hug the bank and keep out of the ice, is making her regular trips.

The Harvester is due down with thirteen barges.

The Clyde left last night for Tennessee river.

The Kentucky is due from Tennessee river.

River men are feeling blue, as they are again indefinitely idle.

The steamboat roustabout is a curious individual, as difficult to comprehend as the most obtrusive problem says the New Orleans States. He doesn't care to ship when the banks are high, nor when the water is over the banks; he doesn't care to ship when the weather is hot, nor when it is cold, and oftentimes he doesn't care to ship at a happy medium of any of these conditions, nor does the matter of wages cut much of a figure. He is just as apt to ship on a boat when the wings are down to the minimum, as they sometimes are, but not often nowadays, as he is to ship or not to ship when the wages are at the highest, say anywhere from \$80 to \$120. It is a fact, of which there is proof in abundance, what the roustabout in his funny mood, causes a steamboat to lose from excess of wages, and loss in time, would be a pretty good profit of itself.

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Notice of Dissolution and Sale.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately existing between Ah Way, Charlie Gee and Pang Owen, and Lin Sing, under the firm name of Sun Hop Sing & Co., in Paducah, Ky., has been dissolved and the property belonging to said company known as the Sun Hop Sing Company, has been sold to the Star Laundry and others, and Mr. Will Young is authorized to make settlement of all debts owing by said firm.

**AH. WAY,
CHARLIE GEE,
PANG OWEN.**
Paducah, Ky., Jan. 26, 1905.

NEW COURT HOUSE.

**Judge Bugg Holding Court in Build-
ing Today.**

Judge R. J. Bugg, of Fulton, is holding circuit court in new quarters yesterday. The docket is large and court interesting. The new court house was recently completed and is modern in every respect.

—A \$100 in gold is what The Sun proposes to give the most popular man in Paducah. Do you know who he is? The Sun is conducting a voting contest to decide and ballot for voting are published in each issue of The Sun. Cut yours out and vote it each day. Or if you are a regular subscriber to The Sun, pay your subscription in advance for a month, or a year and get a special coupon. A month's subscription entitles you to eighty votes. A year's to eleven hundred.

Laundry Notice

Domestic finish is easiest on your goods, but if you want gloss finish just mention it when you send in your bundle. We can do the best in either finish. Just let us know which you prefer.

New City Laundry

E. C. Clark, Manager

Both Phones 121

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EIGHT DEGREES.

Quite a Moderation Last Evening in the Weather Business.

The temperature was not so low by ten degrees last night as the night before. The minimum was eight degrees above, and the change was very acceptable, although it was very cold despite the moderation.

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Travelers from Louisville, Cincinnati or points north to the sunny land of Florida travelling southward via Chattanooga, Lookout Mountain, Atlanta and Jacksonville, can now, at the slight additional cost of \$3.00 return via Savannah, Columbia, Asheville, Hot Springs, (N. C.) and Knoxville, or vice versa—thus passing through the beautiful "Land of the Sky"—that portion of Western North Carolina lying between the Blue Ridge Mountains, and the Iron, Smoky and Unaka Ranges. This is a superb elevated plateau, the lowest point of which is 2,000 feet above the level of the sea.

Asheville with its splendid hotels, open the year 'round, is encircled by magnificent ranges of mountains and is a favorite stop-over point for thousands of tourists annually. Other noted resorts in the "Land of the Sky" and "Sapphire Country" are Hot Springs, Flat Rock, Tryon, Brevard, and Waynesville, etc.

All Florida winter resorts are quickly and comfortably reached by the fast and convenient train schedules and through sleeping car service of the Southern Railway and Crescent Route either through the "Land of the Sky" or direct via Chattanooga and Atlanta.

The "Florida Limited" leaving Cincinnati 8:30 a. m., connecting at Lexington with morning train from Louisville arriving Jacksonville early next morning runs every day in the year. The "Chicopee and Florida Limited," leaving Cincinnati in the evening connecting at Lexington with evening train from Louisville will go into service early in January, 1905. Both of these trains run through solid to Jacksonville with Dining Car service en route.

For low winter tourist rates, schedules, literature or other information apply to:

T. W. Crews, Traveling Pass. Agt., Lexington, Ky.

C. H. Hungerford, District Pass. Agt., Louisville, Ky.

G. B. Allen, Ass't. Gen. Pass. Agt., St. Louis, Mo.

H. B. Spencer, General Manager, St. Louis, Mo.

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Trueheart Building, Phone 159.

The local Y. M. C. A. is under a great debt of gratitude to the N. C. and St. L. railroad for the gift of half a carload of coal which arrived most opportunely yesterday morning with the below zero wave. As the last bucket of coal had been used the night before it was an especially providential gift.

Mr. David Desberger will return in a few days from Hot Springs, Ark.

The Paducah Sun.

AFTERNOON AND WEEKLY.

BY THE SUN PUBLISHING CO.
(INCORPORATED.)FRANK M. FISHER, President and Editor,
EDWIN J. PAXTON, General Manager

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 26.

CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

Dec. 1	2,939	Dec. 17	2,957
Dec. 2	3,000	Dec. 19	2,959
Dec. 3	2,804	Dec. 20	2,964
Dec. 5	2,956	Dec. 21	2,968
Dec. 6	2,949	Dec. 22	2,965
Dec. 7	2,921	Dec. 23	2,970
Dec. 8	2,921	Dec. 24	2,965
Dec. 9	2,927	Dec. 25	2,966
Dec. 10	2,933	Dec. 27	2,971
Dec. 12	2,992	Dec. 28	2,972
Dec. 13	2,934	Dec. 29	2,986
Dec. 14	2,938	Dec. 30	2,996
Dec. 15	2,951	Dec. 31	2,992
Dec. 16	2,952		

Total 79,950

Average for the month..... 2,661

Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of December, 1904, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 22, 1908.

Daily Thought.
Every accession man makes to his knowledge enlarges his power.—Hood.The Weather.
Fair tonight and not quite so cold in eastern portion. Friday fair and warmer.

UP TO THE MAYOR.

The Sun is not opposed to an interurban electric railway and has never been. It has all along, however, called attention to the fact that the city had no right to give away either the streets or private property as a right of way for a railway. The legislative boards, with a Democratic majority, have passed this ordinance in defiance of law, and when the courts show them up to be either fools or something worse, as they did those city officials responsible for the road repudiation a few years ago, they will have no excuse, for they have been advised by neither the city solicitor nor anyone else authorized to advise, that the ordinance is legal.

The mayor professes to want to do right and not exceed his authority. If he signs away these rights, which belong to the people, and not to him, he exceeds his authority. The mayor says "it is claimed" that an interurban railway is a trunk line. Let him produce more conclusive proof than "it is claimed." If it is a trunk line he can easily prove it, and if it is the city has a right to give these rights of way, with the exception of over the private property of the Illinois Central railroad. Neither the city nor the mayor has a right to give away rights-of-way over private property, and a mayor who would sign his name to an ordinance giving such a right, certainly has little regard for the duties of his office and the rights of his constituents.

The fight on the change of capitol site does not seem to have changed much, except that the Feeble-minded Institute site is practically eliminated by the discovery of a provision which makes it impossible to take this as a site. It is likely that whatever the object was in calling the legislature together to decide over something it decided the year before, it will eventually be attained, although it is a rather roundabout and costly way of doing it. The consensus of opinion seems to be that whatever the grafters have up their sleeve might as well be pulled on the commonwealth now and have it over with.

The mayor seems to think that the only thing that makes a thing a franchise, is calling it one. He objected

to the word in the first ordinance, but was willing to sign away the same rights in the last one, passed for the electric railway at a meeting paid for by the electric railway people, simply because they had considerably left out the word "franchise."

The Russian situation seems to have cleared considerably, and the supposed "revolution" has not taken place. What has happened was merely flash in the pan. It was no more a revolution than the Haymarket riot and such things in this country were revolutions.

QUOTE A RUSH

For Market House Licenses—All Must Get Them by Saturday.

This morning hucksters and others using market house space, began taking out license and within a few days Clerk Hailey hopes to have the entire market house sold out.

The city has not sold half the space but the applicants are coming in fast for a starter. It is expected to have the market house open by Saturday and all renewals must be in by the time the building is thrown open for service.

This is one matter that License Inspector Ed. Clark has nothing to do with, but he says he is preparing to go after the delinquents on other licenses. The penalty goes on after the 1st of February and he will secure warrants this year instead of going after the merchants and others who fail to take out their license.

TO BURY HIM HERE.

Brother of Dock Boyd Cannot Come Here.

Undertakers Nance and Pool have received a letter from Dr. T. H. Boyd, of Chicago, brother of O. C. (Dock) Boyd, who died here Tuesday morning, saying that he was ill and would be unable to attend the funeral of his brother, and to go ahead and bury the remains.

The deceased had about \$200 in insurance, and household effects amounting to about \$150, a horse and buggy and sundry effects which will more than cover the funeral expenses.

Undertakers Nance and Pool will bury the body at Oak Grove, probably Saturday.

THE WIND

Caused Considerable Damage to Coal Company.

The United States Gas, Coal and Coke Co. had considerable damage to its property on the Island yesterday. The winds whipped lashings loose grounded several barges. Manager Brown was busy all day yesterday looking after the property.

The combine also had a little damage to property but not as much as the other coal company.

Supt. Sister Here Today.

Supt. W. J. Slater, of the Postal Telegraph company, arrived today from Louisville, and spent several hours waiting for a train on which to continue his journey. He finds everything in first-class shape in the local office, as well as up the line.

—Who is the most popular man residing on the rural route? The Sun will give him a \$65 runabout gift. See the particulars of The Sun's contest in another part of this issue.

Tuscaloosa, Ala.—Miss Mattie Moses, aged 20, died of blood poison, caused from the extraction of a tooth.

"Every man's furnished room is his castle," in the modern reading of the proverb. If your present "castle" doesn't suit you, advertise for another one.

Syrup
White Pine
And Tar

The old reliable cough cure that makes friends whenever and wherever it is used.

HASN'T FAILED YET

There is no remedy that is more pleasant to take, safer, that gives such prompt results in every kind of cough. It is best for children and best for grown-ups.

J. H. OEHLSCHLAEGER
Druggist
Sixth and Broadway
PHONE 62

The mayor seems to think that the only thing that makes a thing a franchise, is calling it one. He objected

NOT YET DECIDED
ABOUT THE VETO

The Mayor Thinks He Will Sign Railway Ordinance.

In Now Looking Up Something He May Use as an Excuse For Such Action.

HASN'T GOT IT YET, THOUGH.

Last night the board of aldermen met and gave second passage to the interurban railway right of way ordinance, and the ordinance will probably be signed by Mayor Yeiser.

"I will say candidly to you," Mayor Yeiser said today, "that I think I shall sign the ordinance. When the matter was before me before, I vetoed it. I think I shall sign the ordinance, although I am not positive. I have been reviewing court of appeals decisions regarding matters involved in this case and have not finished. I don't jump into such matters without the necessary caution and will investigate thoroughly before I take any action."

"I would like to have had the I. C. and electric railway people adjust the matter of the crossing at Eighth street amicably, but the roads can not cross at Sixth, Seventh or Ninth streets, and Eighth street seems to be the only place where the roads can cross. This is the only matter which has caused me any worry, but I look at it this way. The I. C. has been a great factor in the upbuilding of the city and should be treated with all the consideration due it, but still we must not overlook the possibilities of other factors in building up the city such as the electrical road will be, and I think we should show the electrical people just as much consideration, if they meet with every requirement of law, as any other road."

Mayor Yeiser admits that he doesn't think the city owns or controls the Eighth street crossing, but his position is that the city may go ahead and give right-of-way over it, and then allow the railroad to fight in the courts to keep the other road from encroaching on its property. He seems to think the city can give a right-of-way over anything, and if it happens to be something the city doesn't own, it is merely a matter for the proper owner to worry over, not something that should concern the city.

BACK IN LOCKUP.

Jim Welch Forgot His Promise to Leave Town.

Jim Welch, an Irishman who was arrested here last week for relieving a young man from Hopkinsville of his watch, and who was given hours to leave the city, showed up again today and is now in the city jail again.

Welch said he would leave town and was taken to the river, placed on the Cowling and sent to Metropolis. Saturday night he was picked up in Metropolis and the authorities telephoned here nad were told to keep him going, but evidently started him the wrong way.

Welch was drunk and had about 50 "phony" gold rings on his person. He slapped a boy and was arrested.

THE HUNT SITE.

Is Selected by the House at Frankfort.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 26.—By a vote of 45 to 33, the house passed the bill providing for the purchase by the capitol commission, of the Hunt site for a new capitol.

The bill sets aside \$40,000 of the original capitol appropriation and does not contain an emergency clause. The bill was adopted by the Democrats, all the Republicans voting no.

GRILLO OUT.

Stormy Session of American Association Ended Last Night.

Chicago, Jan. 26.—After a heated contest lasting from 10 o'clock yesterday morning until 10 last night J. H. Grillo was ousted from the presidency of the American Baseball Association and was succeeded by Joseph D. O'Brien, of Milwaukee.

Subscribe for The Sun.

Saturday will be the last day that you can buy Wahoo, the great Blood and Nerve Tonic, for 25¢ at DuBois, Kols & Co.

IN THE COURTS

Circuit Court.

The case of Mrs. M. A. Miller against the I. C. road was tried today and a verdict for the defendant returned on peremptory instructions. Mrs. Miller it was alleged, had a ticket for Epperson and wanted to get off there. The train stopped and she made for the door but before she could get off, the train started and the door closed against her fingers. She sued for \$2,000 damages.

At press time the case of W. A. Taylor against the Mergenthaler-Horton Basket Co. was on trial. Taylor got a hand caught in a saw and several fingers were mangled. He sues for \$500.

The case of C. D. Marshal against the Mergenthaler-Horton Basket Co. will go to trial this afternoon or tomorrow. He sues for \$5,000 for personal injuries in falling into a vat of boiling water at the plant.

The case of W. Scruggs against the Paducah City Railway was dismissed.

A judgment for sale was filed in the case of F. G. Rudolph, administrator of Soi Knott against Nathan Knott and others.

Judge Berry at Mt. Sterling.

Judge W. A. Berry is in Mt. Sterling, Ky., trying a case involving the settlement of a will for about \$20,000. He took the suit when he was in partnership with Judge Wm. Reed.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

A. C. Harris, a farmer of near Cantoa, Trigg county, Ky., today filed a petition in bankruptcy giving liabilities to the amount of \$15,000 with \$2,000 assets. He owes no Paducah firms.

Found the Money.

J. J. Meyers, a mining man from Joplin, Mo., yesterday afternoon reported to Proprietor Bud Dale, of the New Richmonde Hotel, that his pocketbook containing several hundred dollars and some valuable papers was missing, and he feared he had been robbed while out having a time the night before. Detective Will Baker was summoned and hit on the theory that the money had simply been put away by Meyers, and after searching about the room, finally found money and all behind the dresser, and restored it to its owner.

Suit on Note.

Attorneys Taylor and Lucas this morning filed a suit in circuit court for R. H. Rhodes against Mrs. N. A. Gills for an alleged balance of \$97 due for building a house.

Police Court.

Leonard Shelby, Roy Manion and Herman Clements, colored, who had a fight and cut each other freely, were held over for malicious cutting and tomorrow will be arraigned on false swearing warrants.

Other cases were: William Hill, Mike Sullivan, drunk, \$1 and costs; Jim Doolin, Phillip Mosby, breach of the peace, \$2 and costs each; Dick Hill, Katie Powell, colored, breach of the peace, contended; Ed. Tharman, white, Lizzie Hill, colored, breach of the peace, dismissed; Jim Scott, Kid Wills, colored, false swearing, continued; Crocket Wright drunk, \$1 and costs.

Board of Directors Re-elected.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Paducah City Hallway is being held today. The only thing of interest done today was the election of a board of directors. The old board was re-elected without a change. The meeting lasted through the afternoon and nothing else of interest to the public was done.

\$125,000 LOSS.

Masouic Temple and Other Buildings Burned at Mt. Sterling.

Mt. Sterling, Ky., Jan. 26.—Fire early this morning destroyed the Masouic Temple and other large buildings in the business district, entailing a loss of a hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

ELECTED SENATOR.

C. D. Clark Chosen by Wyoming Legislature.

Cheyenne, Wyo., Jan. 26.—Clarance Don Clark was re-elected senator by the legislature today, receiving the unanimous vote of the republican members.

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Are What You Want

There are any number of popular price shoes on the market. Every shoe dealer claims his are. We know shoes, however. We are born and raised in the business and believe we come near knowing shoes.

If you ever wore a pair of our shoes you will agree with us. The famous W. L. Douglass shoe is just one of our leaders. Drop in to see some of the others.

Every shoe that goes out of our store is a silent salesmen. The man who makes one purchase needs little persuasion to come back.

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Highest Grade Domestic Coal

Office and Yard: 14th and Tennessee Sts. Both Phones 202.

LOCAL LINES

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.
—Sign and carriage painting, G. R. Sexton, both phones, 401.
—Miss Jessie Smith, stenographer and notary public, 118 South Fourth street.

—For the cleanest and best coal in the city phone 339, Bradley Brothers.

—A complete line of blank books, typewriting and carbon paper. Everything needed in the office and the very best, at R. D. Clements & Co.

—Call Palmer Transfer Co. for carriages, baggage wagons and first-class livery rigs. Black fares and trucks strictly cash. Best service in the city.

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—Ten or more unfortunate who were without a place to sleep were given a place at the city hall last night by the kind hearted officers. All of them were glad to get a hench in the warm court room.

—Detective T. J. Moore last night left for Louisville and Lexington with Mabel and Lillie Hays, who will be placed in the Home of the Good Shepherd at Louisville, and Marshall Bryant, who will be placed in the reform school at Lexington.

—Attorney John K. Hendrick has returned from Smithland, Ky., where he took his depositions.

—Mr. Fayette Giref is out again after being disabled two weeks by a fall from a ladder.

—Contractor Ed Hannan has finished the plumbing system at Creal Springs on the Ozark Hotel, and is a bidder on a big contract for the Marion, Ky., school, bids for which are to be opened today.

—The taxes due as a result of the settlement with State Auditor's Agent Albritton are being collected by Sheriff Porter. The amount named in the local papers as agreed on with Felt & Brother was \$79,614 and not \$79,61.

—Jeff Young, the ice man, while handling a pistol at the Bennett saloon at 13th and Clay streets, accidentally shot himself in the right leg above the knee yesterday afternoon about 5 o'clock.

—The home of Mrs. M. M. Hartson, formerly of Paducah and a sister of Mr. W. A. Wickliffe, was borned at Macon, Ga., a few days ago with a loss of \$2,500 and no insurance.

—Walter Gardner, of Mayfield, Ky., who is at Fort Walla Walla, Wash., is one of the contractors for about \$300,000 worth of barracks and other buildings at Fort Sherman.

—Who is the most popular lady in Paducah? The Sun wants to know and has therefore started a voting contest to decide. To the lady receiving the greatest number of votes cast on ballots to be found in The Sun the Sun will give a \$250 piano. See the announcement in the ad in this issue.

—Mr. Horace Mankin, the tobacconist formerly of the city, was painfully injured a day or two ago near Grahamville by being knocked from his buggy by a runaway horse.

—The Ladies' Mite Society of the First Baptist church, will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. J. M. Walton, 1238 Jefferson street.

—James Patterson, a colored telegrapher, of Eleventh and Caldwell streets, Paducah, broke his leg on the steamer Russell Lord at Florence, Ala., and was brought to the city this morning.

—The examination under civil service rules for local boiler inspector is taking place today at the government building, and there is only one applicant, Engineer Joe St. John.

—Postman Charles Holliday is ill and off duty. Clerk James Graham, who has been off duty three weeks on account of his eyes, returned to work today.

TO NASHVILLE.

Rev. Armstrong to Attend the Misionary Institute.

Rev. W. W. Armstrong, of the Trimble Street Methodist church, will leave the first of February to spend the month in Nashville, Tenn., attending the Misionary Institute of the M. E. church, South, which is in session there January and February.

The first month is devoted to the study of foreign missionary work and the second month to the home mission work. The lectures and addresses will be made by the bishops and prominent missionary workers, and leaders from both branches of Methodism. Each district in every conference has the privilege of sending one representative, and the Rev.

Mr. Armstrong was selected from Paducah district at the session of the Memphis Conference at Jackson, Tenn., in November last. He prefers taking the course of study in home mission work.

The pulpit of the Trimble Street church will be filled during the pastor's absence as follows: The first Sunday morning in February, Sec. Blake Godfrey, of the Y. M. C. A., at night by Presiding Elder J. H. Roberts. The second Sunday the Rev. Mr. Metcalf will preach both morning and night, and Rev. T. J. Owen and Rev. T. J. Newell will take the morning and night of the third Sunday respectively. The fourth Sunday will be covered by Sec. Godfrey again.

PROMINENT MAN.

James Garnett, Sr., of Adair, Dies Suddenly.

Columbia, Ky., Jan. 26.—Judge James Garnett, Sr., one of Adair county's most influential men, died suddenly of heart trouble last night. He was seventy years old, and two days before had appeared so much more cheerful than usual as to cause common talk.

He had for years been one of the foremost men in Adair.

He had served as circuit judge, had been in both branches of the general assembly, and for years was president of the bank of Columbia. He leaves a widow and four children, James Garnett, Jr., of Columbia, deputy grand master of the Masonic grand lodge of Kentucky; Misses Jeanie and Fannie Garnett, of Columbia, and Miss Mary Lizzie Garnett, of Woodstock, Miss.

DIED OF CONSUMPTION.

Mrs. Charles Wilson Died This Afternoon.

Mrs. Bette Wilson, age about 52, wife of Mr. C. H. Wilson, of Fifth and Adams streets, died shortly before noon today of consumption, after a lingering illness.

She was a well known woman and her death will be received with sorrow by many acquaintances. She leaves besides her husband, three daughters, Mrs. Bertie Ross, Misses Lydia and Besse Wilson, of the city, and one son, Mr. Ed Wilson, of Callerton.

No funeral arrangements have been made yet.

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YELLOW FEVER.

Appears on Cruiser Boston and One Death Results.

Panama, Jan. 26.—A bulletin issued by the American legation this afternoon announced one death and six cases of suspected yellow fever on board the cruiser Boston.

Many a man has "climbed up" in business life on a Ladder of Want Ads.

Social Notes and About People.

Musical This Evening.

The musicale to be given by the woman's committee of the Y. M. C. A. this evening, will be held in the association parlors instead of the gymnasium hall as first intended. This change is made on account of the cold weather and the impossibility of heating the hall sufficiently well. There will be seats for all in the parlors and everything will be as comfortable as possible.

The program is a most attractive one and covers the most distinguished of the local talent. Miss Blanche Buckner will appear as one of the leading attractions of the evening.

Pleasant Occasion.

Mr. O. Gross entertained a number of his friends on his 22d birthday anniversary last evening at Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Birth's home on South Third street. Numerous games were enjoyed and refreshments were served later.

The guests were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kamleiter, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. Hummel, Mrs. A. C. Itten, Misses Maner, Dora Hummel, Theresa Hummel, Sophie Hummel, Katie Baker, Mary Berger, Mr. Wm. Rottgering, Charles Warner.

8.8. Teachers' Meeting.

The teachers and officers of the Broadway Methodist Sunday school will meet this evening at 7:30 o'clock with Dr. I. B. Howell in the Columbia Building. Dr. Vernon Blythe will conduct the lesson.

Dance to the Young Men.

There will be a dance at the Palmer house this evening given by the young ladies, complimentary to the young men.

Messrs. Max B. Nahm and Henry D. Fitch, of Bowling Green, are here to attend the street railway meeting.

Mrs. Claude Baker and child have gone to Greenville, Ky., for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Martin.

Mrs. True S. James has returned to Evansville after visiting her sister, Mrs. George Powell.

Miss Kitty Hayes, of Dyersburg, Tenn., is visiting Miss Mae Hayes at Seventh and Broadway.

Mr. David Pulliam is here from Boston visiting his brother, Dr. S. H. Pulliam.

Capt. Edward Woolfolk is in St. Louis on business.

Mrs. John Walker and Miss Lizzie Street have returned from Memphis.

Mrs. Oscar Reifel, of Rogers, Ark., and Mrs. Jennie Todd, of Kenton, Ky., are visiting Mrs. B. T. Davis and daughter, Mrs. Ben Billings.

Mrs. S. Fels returned from St. Louis this morning.

Mr. H. C. Rhodes, of the Rhodes-Barford company, has returned from a trip to Grand Rapids, Mich., and other Northern and Eastern furniture markets, where he bought extensively of the latest and best.

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No Damage From Blaze.

The No. 1 fire department was called to the residence of Mr. J. W. Harvey, at 1017 Madison street, this morning about 11 o'clock to extinguish a small blaze originating from the kitchen stove. No damage was done. The No. 3 department also answered the alarm.

Wabash, Ind.—Mrs. Isaac Aller of Allen county, was found dead at her home, the body lying at the foot of the stairs, down which she had evidently fallen.

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CHAPTER VII.
ONCE out in the open air, Frances Wentworth again found herself in control of herself, ashamed that for the moment her emotions had overwhelmed her. She had no desire to re-enter Westminster Hall even if the doorkeepers would have permitted her, so she wended slowly back to the inn which was her temporary home. In the evening John Vellins came to see her and offered money, which, she told him, she did not need. He gave some account of Pym's speech and said that the commons had not asked the lords for judgment, which was taken by Strafford and his friends as an indication that they knew the weakness of the evidence and ended the effect of his lordship's speech in his own defense.

The refusal to ask for judgment was regarded as a good omen, and for some days Frances felt the revivify of hope, when she could forget the grim figure of John Pym, but the commons speedily disillusioned the Straffordians. A bill of attainder was brought in, and they showed their determination to have the head of the unfortunate earl by act of parliament if not by legal procedure. At last the bill, passing its third reading, was sent up to the house of lords. There were many who said the lords would never assent to it; that the commons should have asked for judgment at the close of the trial, that if they could not hope to have the verdict as they wanted it then it was not likely the lords would allow themselves to be cozened by a side wind now. These predictions were quickly falsified. The lords gave their consent to the bill of attainder, and nothing stood between Strafford and the block but a scrawl from the king's pen.

The lords, it was said by those who defended them, had been coerced by the populace. The mob had gathered again and had clamored around the house of peers, crying for justice on Strafford. Now they transferred their loud-throated exclamations to Whitehall, for success with the nobles foretold success with the king.

It was late on Saturday night when John Vellins made his way to the inn at some jeopardy to himself, for the streets were wild with joy at the action of the lords. He told Frances that her father's life depended solely on the firmness of the king. If Charles signed on Monday, Strafford was to be led to the block on Wednesday. Vellins was in deep gloom, over the prospect. The earl, he said, had some time previously written to the king, absolving him from all his promises, offering his life freely if the taking of it would advantage his majesty in dealing with his obstreperous subjects.

"But the king is trebly perfumed if he signs. He cannot sign," cried Frances. Vellins shook his head.

"If all the lords in England are held in terror by the people's clamor, and so let the greatest of their number slip through their fingers to the ax, how can one week be expected to withstand the concentration of the popular will brought against him? The blindfold to look for it!"

"But the people dare not coerce a king."

"Dare they not? Go down to Whitehall and you will find them doing it. This very day they have all but stormed the palace."

"I will see the king, throw myself at his feet and implore him to keep his word. I was present when he made my father take this fatal journey to London and when he promised full protection. A king's word should stand against the world, for he is the source of truth and honor in a nation."

"You cannot get to see him. Every guard to the palace is strongly garrisoned. Highly placed friends of my lord, friends when all others had fallen away from him, have sought admission to the royal presence in vain. He has refused to see the Earl of Bristol, whose son, Lord Digby, spoke out against the conclusiveness of the evidence, and his majesty has let it be spread abroad that he gives no approval of Lord Digby's plain words, and so the people cry 'God save the king' and revile Lord Digby."

The girl stood aghast at this intelligence, remembering the scene at the trial, when royalty in the person of Charles Stuart, and the people in the person of John Pym, opposed their wills to each other. Then royalty had faded from the sight of men, and the strong champion of the people held his ground alone and triumphant. "Trust in God and the king," wrote the prisoner. What a conjunction! Almighty power, and a bounding reed! "Nevertheless, I will see the king," she said.

On Sunday the immensity of the swaying crowd, shouting and moving like a slow, restless flood through the streets, daunted her. There was no employment that day to keep any one within doors, and it seemed as if that labyrinth of human warrens enclaved London had emptied itself into the narrow thoroughfares. She hesitated like a timid swimmer on the brink of a raging torrent, yet if she was to win access to the king she must trust herself to the current, which had this ad-

venture—it set toward the direction in which she wished to go.

If the streets could be compared to sluggish streams, the broad avenue or square of Whitehall might be likened to the lake into which they emptied. It was a packed mass of humanity, surging to and fro, as if influenced by mysterious tides, but making no progress. Way through it in any given direction might well seem an impossibility, but an alert atom, by constantly watching opportunity, could edge here and there, through chance openings, and, by a constant devotion to a given direction, ultimately attain any chosen point.

Then the girl, buffeted about, often well nigh exhausted and breathless, came by the entrance to the palace that stood next the banqueting house. The gates, however, were tightly closed and guarded on the outside by a double row of soldiers who stood the hustling of the mob with great good humor, being evidently cautioned not to exasperate the populace by any hostile act. The crowd itself seemed good-natured enough, although constant fighting took place here and there along its choking surface, till the great bulk of those present appeared to be out on a lurking holiday, although they all robustly lent breath to the incessant roar, calling for justice on Strafford. Occasionally there were shouts for the king and demands that he should speak to them, but the windows of Whitehall palace were blank and gave no sign of human occupancy.

Suddenly Frances found herself in new danger through one of those inexplicable beaves of the many throat-ed beasts at whose mercy she stood.

"To the gates!" went up a shout.

"We will unmake the king here!" And a great human wave, overwhelming the soldiers, struck against the shuddering portal. The mere pressure of the multitude was deadly and irresistible.

There were shrieks and appeals for forbearance, but the unreasoning mass behind pressed on, unheeding, cheering and shouting. A crash of rending timber and the gates flew inward. Then the mob, as if frightened at what it had done, paused, giving the soldiers time to collect themselves and help the wounded. There was as yet no scuffle. In the crush it was more like a conglomeration of irresponsible children bent on mischief of any kind, but temporarily scared at the breaking of something.

This fact seemed to be recognized by a man in authority who came through the gate and with some difficulty secured a precarious footing on one of the stone pillars which stood in a row between the piazza and the road, thus giving him a position which towered over the heads of the assembly. He held up a hand for a hearing, and the crowd cheered him, not in the least knowing who he was or why he was there. Comparative silence followed the cheer, and the policeman spoke.

"My good people," he said, "there is little use in the breaking of gates that the king may hear you, for the king has heard and is taking the requests of his faithful subjects into his anguished consideration."

"Where is the king?" demanded an auditor.

"The king is in the banqueting house, where, as you know, he is in touch with his people. 'Tis a prayerful subject he has to meditate on, and I beg of you not to distract his devotion by further—"

"Is the queen at her devotions too? In that hall she began masked revels on a Sunday, and six good men were done to death for protesting against the desecration, each life more valuable than the wicked earl's. Let the king say that he will sign, and we will disperse!"

These and other cries more or less to the purpose bated the orator, and the air quivered with denunciations of Strafford. The man on the stone post had cast his eyes behind him several times, as if to see what progress was being made with the readjustment of the gate, and from this his hearers quickly divined that he was but deluding them to gain time, which was more than likely his purpose, so the shout went up to move through the breach and surround the hall. Meanwhile reinforcements had been summoned from within, and a hand to hand fight ensued with the encroachers.

Frances, panting and nigh worn out in the struggle, nevertheless saw her opportunity. There were few women in the throng and such as came near them the soldiers sought to protect. She attempted appeal to the officer, but that harassed dignitary could harken to none and thrust her rudely but effectually through the opening, saying:

"You will find egress at one of the other gates. Take care of yourself. I cannot help you."

Breathing a sigh of thankfulness, she cowered and ran along, the end of the banqueting hall, turned at the corner, then down the side, entering an archway that let her into a passage. She knew that she must turn to her right, but where after that she had not the slightest notion. The tumult at the gate was so frightful that she expected every moment to hear the victorious as-



"NO, NO!" GASPED CHARLES.

sanitors at her heels. Her joy at finding herself thus unexpectedly within the precincts of the palace, unimpeded, enured her to overlook the fact that this was scarcely a propitious moment in which to implore the king to disregard the lusty giant rudely bunting at his doors. A frightened waiting maid came hurrying along the corridor, and to her she directed inquiry regarding the entrance to the banqueting hall.

"Turn to the right and up the stair." "Take me there, I beg of you."

"I cannot. I bear a message."

"But I bear a message to the king."

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The leaders in each contest each week will be given 100 extra votes.

The contests will start at once and end March 31, and the winners announced April 1.

KENTUCKY NEWS TOLD IN PARAGRAPHS

War Relic Kills Kentuckian.

Clarksville, Tenn., Jan. 26.—Chas. Ware, a farmer of Todd county, Ky., was killed here by the explosion of a shell, a relic of the Civil war. Mr. Ware was in the office of a tobacco warehouse alone at the time and it is supposed he threw the shell into the fire, thinking it was a stick of wood. It weighed eight pounds and had been kept as a curiosity, no one thinking it was loaded.

Took Carbolic Acid.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 26.—Miss Muggie Boyd, a pretty young woman employed in the Hopkinsville steam laundry attempted suicide by swallowing half an ounce of carbolic acid. Her mother arrived from Erlington. No cause for the deed is known. Miss Boyd swallowed the poison as Ennis Morris, a young man who was calling on her, left the house. He claims to know no reason for the act.

Wedding of Miss Marcum.

Henderson, Ky., Jan. 26.—Miss Nellie Marcum, eldest daughter of the late J. B. Marcum, was married in this city to James G. Flanery, of Fargo, N. D., and will go there to live. The bride is nineteen years of age.

Huys Home for Daughter.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 26.—Ex-Gov. W. O. Bradley has about closed a deal for the purchase of the handsome residence of S. H. Holmes, which he will present to his daughter, Mrs. Christine Bradley South. Gov. Bradley is here on a visit to his daughter.

Robbed the Pest House.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 26.—The pesthouse for white smallpox patients, near the city, was robbed of clothing and various articles. A tramp named Collier, who came here Saturday night from Evansville, Ind., and applied for admission at the hospital, is missing. Collier had a fully developed but mild case of smallpox. He was received as a patient and occupied a room with a number of other victims of the disease. An overcoat, a suit of clothes

of City Health Officer Woodward, Supt. Rose's watch and \$4 which belonged to patients had also disappeared.

Appointed Sheriff of Henderson.

Henderson, Ky., Jan. 26.—The county court made an order declaring the sheriff's office vacant upon the failure of Henry Dixon, the present sheriff, to execute bond. S. A. Young was appointed to fill out his unexpired term of one year.

Miner Crushed to Death.
Hopkinsville, Ky., Jan. 26.—Bob Dulin, of Crofton, a colored miner, went into a condemned room in the Nortonville Coal company's mine and fired a shot. The walls collapsed and Dulin was buried under debris and killed.

Lumber Man Killed By a Train.

Owingsville, Ky., Jan. 26.—The dead body of F. T. Sexton, a lumber man, was found lying on the C. & O. railroad tracks in Carter county. He had been killed by a train. The body was badly mangled and Sexton was identified by means of a card in his pocket.

One Site Eliminated.

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 26.—An investigation into the deed of the Feeble-minded Institute and the act creating the institution has been made and it is claimed that the grounds cannot be used as a capitol site without a special act of the legislature which this session has no power to enact.

These facts being true, the only thing left for the general assembly to do is to adjourn without action, choose the Hunt site, or decide on the present site.

Died at Depot.

Mayfield, Ky., Jan. 26.—Mrs. Jack Green suddenly expired at the depot yesterday afternoon just after her arrival from Memphis. She was assisted off the train and started to walk to the waiting room with the assistance of her husband. She was carried to the waiting room where she died before a physician could

arrive. She had the jaundice in a very bad form.

She was formerly a Miss Crowley and was on her way to the home of her father, Mr. Joe Crowley, who lives about one mile this side of Hickory Grove. They have one little boy.

Mr. Green is a brick mason and was employed in Memphis.

Head of Lee Line III.

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 26.—James Lee, head of the Lee Line of steamers, the largest craft on the Mississippi river, is critically ill at his home on Adams street. All the members of his family have been summoned to his bedside, and while he shows some improvement from time to time he is subject to sinking spells, and the gravest fears are entertained for him. Mr. Lee is suffering from a number of complications incident to his advanced age, and his physicians are inclined to the view that the chances are very much against his recovery.

El Paso, Tex.—Antonio Astizarran, a Mexican, with two servants, has been murdered by Ynqui Indians in the same vicinity where four Americans were slain last Thursday.



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FREE WHARFAGE.

It Is a Great Benefit To the River Cities.

At last St. Louis has noticed the decline in steamboat traffic in the past few years, is officially recognizing that fact and like the farmer who began to lock his barn the morning after his horse had been stolen, is now looking for a remedy for the relief of the steamboats. A bill is about to be presented to the council favoring free wharfage for all boats landing at St. Louis.

We see no reason why boats should not have free wharfage. Our levee is literally crowded with the elevated railroad and surface tracks, none of the railroad companies ever paying one cent for the use of the wharf. Why, then, should steamboats pay for the privilege of using the wharf?

It is all the more pleasing to us to note Harbor Commissioner Whyte's stand, favoring an entire abolishment of wharfage. He is the first city official on record to declare himself with the steamboats.

When Capt. Able was harbor commissioner the steamboatmen naturally looked to him to favor them, as in the days when there was steamboating he was one of them, but he proved the very opposite of that of a friend of the steamboat interests.

By all means give us free wharfage, and the river business will be bound to improve.—Waterways Journal.

BOWSER ABANDONED

But He Was Able to Get Home After Seventeen Day Fast.

Centreville, Tenn., Jan. 26.—Walker Springer, of Whitfield, relates an interesting adventure of his pet dog, "Howser," which disappeared Christmas and, like Tray, was supposed to have been caught in bad company and killed. Two weeks after the animal's disappearance, Elijah Baker, while near William McClanahan's spring, heard the smothered barking of a dog, and recognizing the tone as Bowser's, made an investigation.

The sound of the wailing animal came from beneath a mass of rock on the hillside, but as there were no crevices or fissures, how the dog entered the earth could not be definitely determined.

About a mile from the scene is an

opening in a hillside, and it is surmised that Bowser chased some maddening creature into the cave, and followed the course of the subterranean cavern until it reached the end.

Walker Springer was informed of the dog's discovery, and he and Mr. Baker endeavored to dig it out.

An entire day's work failed to reach the dog. On the day following dynamite was used, and after several unsuccessful blasts, Bowser was abandoned to his fate.

On the next day the little dog reached home in a somewhat emaciated condition, having been in the underground prison for seventeen days without any food and probably without water. The dog evinced delight on again meeting his master.

REAL SILVER

Is Used to Make Counterfeit Dollars.

Silver dollars that are counterfeit is the latest.

Officials of the United States treasury, at Cincinnati, have sent to Washington two bogus dollars made of silver within the last month. The

plutonium is in the east.

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The money is made from Peruvian coins, but this fact can only be discovered with a magnifying glass. The stamp obliterates the printing on the coin and impresses the facsimile of real money on both its sides.

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Police departments all over the country are co-operating with the government officers in searching for the makers. It is the general impression that the money is floated in the east, and that the counterfeiting

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